

Docket No.: 043890-0723

**PATENT**

**Reply Under 37 CFR 1.116 - Expedited Procedure - Technology Center 3700**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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| In re Application of        | : | Customer Number: 53080          |
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| Yoshinori ISHIDA, et al.    | : | Confirmation Number: 6882       |
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| Application No.: 10/531,452 | : | Group Art Unit: 3746            |
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| Filed: April 14, 2005       | : | Examiner: Weinstein, Leonard J. |
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| Title: COMPRESSOR           |   |                                 |

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 23, 2009, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on October 23, 2009, reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendment and remarks.